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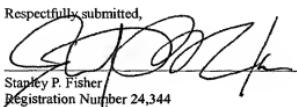
- 6sheets of  formal  informal drawings.
- Transmittal of Japanese Patent Application 2001-061571 to claim priority date of March 6, 2001.
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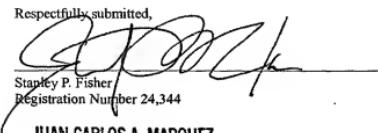
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